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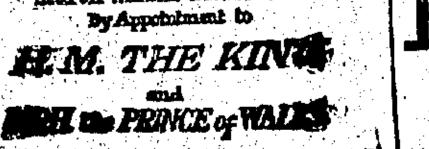
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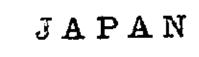
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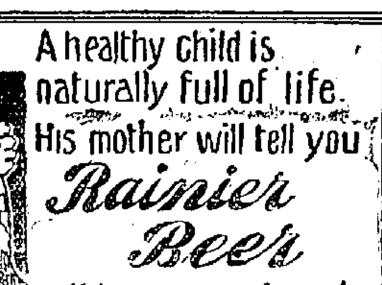
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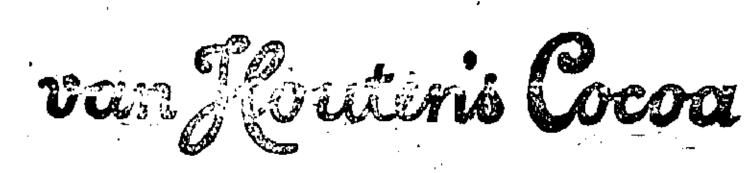
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Dated the 6th day of March, 1903. (Signed) A. G. WOOD. C. S. SHARP J. WHEELEY,

Witness to the signatures of Alexander George Wood, Charles Stewart Sharp, and John Thomas Martin Wheeley, (Signed) JOHN HAYS,

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#### THE MISADVENTURES OF THE HON. HERCULES BROWNE, C.M.G.

The East plays many tricks with the men whose days are passed in its thin, tranaparent atmosphere ad its blinding sunglare, but it tampers with nothing so vitally as with their sense of proportion. This of course, line nothing at all to do with the elimate-a scape-goat which is made to carry not only the burden of its own sins, but those which belong to the whiskybottle-since it arises solely from the circumstances in which the exiled European is placed. To be a big man in a small community is very bad for the character; to be a big official in the East is simply destruction. It is well enough so long as the big official remains on his own proper dung-hill. where he may crow unopposed by rival roos-ters, but sooner or later the ago limit of his service is reached, and the supersunuated civil servant is forced to retire to the wilds of West Kensington, or to some similar corner of the land which, though he calls it 'Home,' and boasts that he has served it loyally, has never so much as heard his name or that of the cranny of the Empire in which he has been for so long a shining light of surpassing brilliancy. The sudden change from eternal sunshine to haze and fog of an almost equal permanency is only typical of the other greater change in the estate of the man who is its victim. From being the Hon. So-and-so Snucks, Memher of the Conneil, Hono of Such and such THE Well Known 3/3 L 11. STEAM a Department, and Heaven knows what L 60. besides, he becomes suddonly plain Mr TWO FURNISHED BEDROOMS, with BATH ft., B 10ft., D 6ft. Cylindus 15 in. and 15 Snooks, an obscure, and not too wealthy in.; 11 in. Stroke; now in excellent individual, an object of interest to nobody, robbed in a moment of those salutations in the market-place which he has learned to regard as his just tribute. When he opens his mouth for the purpose of enunciating some of those dogmatic opinions for which he is famous, he is shocked to find that his show words are not listened to with the respect. the bated breath, to which his former experiences have accust omed him. Quite 'junior' men argue with him fearlessly; others either ignore his Views, or contradict him flatly to his face. The whole scheme of things seems to have gone awry, and he

> outrage and ingratitude. In fact he has fallen from the Seats of the Mighty, and the jar is a very masty one, which sometimes sends him soured and discontented I have viewed these tragi-comedies with a great deal of sympathy and compassion, for I have been privileged to witness the greatness of the great little men of the OIL PAINTINGS, CARPETS, RUGS, SHANGHAI the livery of the Omnigatherum stood BATH, COOKING STOVES and UTENSHS, grinning on the steps of that well-known &c., &c.

suffers from a sense of unmerited injury,

Hon. Hercules, hitting him with each missile in a most dexterous fashion. I loyally retrieved the Hon. Hercules 579 and his scattered property, put him and there into a cab, and drove off hurriedly amid the cheering of a crowd of screet loafers. The temper of the Hon. Hercules THE Undersigned will Sell by Public was as ruffled as his person, and I felt that it was more than my life was worth to question him as to his recent adventures, but I took him to his house, somewhere on the other side of Earl's Court milway station, and handed him over to his wife. While doing so I was able to disabuse my mind of its first me that, whatever else he might be, the INCLUDING, MAFERING BESIEGED, Curiesity, however, was piqued, and I later

and throw a coat, hat and umbrella at the

the . ight, with the result that I succeeded in eliciting the following distressing facts. The Hon. Hercules, who a few weeks earlier had retired from the service of the Asiatic colony in which it had been my privilege to enjoy his condescending acquaintance, had been invited to dine at the Omnigatherum by a friend. On arrival at 590 the Club he had been informed that his friend had not yet put in an appearance, and he was shown into a waiting-room, in which he funed and ramped for a matter THE Undersigned have received instruct of half-an-hour. A feeling of incomprehensible neglect had been present in his mind pretty constantly ever since his landing in England, and the fact that his friend had now kept him waiting for his dinner without excuse or explanation added to his sense of injury. At last his dignity could bear the insult put upon it no longer. He had been invited to dine at the Omnigatherum, and at the Omnigatherum he would dine. He rose from the armchair into which he had thrown himself, and with that magnificence of deportment which had always characterised his movements, stalked up the big staircase, and seated himself at a table in the diningroom. The waiters looked at him curiously, but he had passed the hall porter, and his presence was no affair of theirs. His air of self-confiderce and assurance did the rest. He are his dinner in state, paid for it under his own name without protest, and then betook himself to the smoking-

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room for the enjoyment of his coffee and In all this he had no sense of irregularity, of being guilty of an impropriety. On the contracy, he was to othoroughly imbued with the idea of his own claims to consideration, too convinced that whatever the Hon. Hercules saw fix to do must for that very ten en by sight, that he never so much as thought of questioning the fitness of that which he are doing. If anyone had whitpares to his the suspicion that the premiers of the Camigatherum would not be pleased if it y learned the use which he was making a their sacred and evelusive many inc. to mental large theated the notion with scorn. For more years than he cared to count he had walked unquestioned into all the resorts to which his fullows and access, warmed by the pleasing consciousness that he was thereby conforring rather their receiving a favour. For him English life was a thing hopelessly out of focus. The imposing figure of the Hon, Hercules Browne, C.M.G., had for long bulked so big on his mental horizon that he could not of a sudden necommodate himself to a world in which plain Hercules Browne, no more to be aignified with the title of 'Hononiable,' was an unconsidered atom, and in which the letters after his

name signified nothing more exalted than \*Colonial-Made Gentleman." Wearied at length of solitude and inaction, the Hon. Hercules reared himself out of his arra-chair, and began to roam at large through the Club. He did not wish to reture home yet awhile, for he shrunk from reverling to his wife, the painful fact that he had saffered from the intolerable insult conveyed by his friend's failure to keep his appointment. In the near past men had tumbled over one another to 245 do him resonence, to run at his bidding, to come it his bank, and had vied with one another for the honour of entertaining him as their guest. Never until this evening had the horror of his fall been written so plainly for him; but he would conceal the fact from the wife in whose eyes he was still to be counted among the great ones of the earth. Modificating these things in a sullen and do a demod april, the Hone Hercules wandered through the great, warm, brilliantly-highted and trackly-expected corridors until chance but him into the cardroom of the Club. Bore he scated hims Mi in a vacant emile were one of the tables, and watched that their playing a game of bridge. He was himself a heen lover of the game, in her presently became on greated in observing the play and the fortunes of the strangers near him. His chair placed him an a level somewhat beaccident enabled him to detect the fact that the player nearest to him was dealing in's very peculiar manner. The cards which he gave to his opponents were slipp. and from the top of the peck in the ordinary way, but those to himself and his partner came now and again not from the top but

from the bottom of the deck. The How. Hereules could hardly believe his eyes. He stared in blank astonishment. He could just see the bottom eard of the pack by sinking a little lower into cushious of his chair. It was the acc of nearts. A moment laser the dealer had given a card to his partner, and beheld the acc of hearts had vanished! That was at some enough and too much for the Hon, Hercoles, He resc. up,

portentous, dignified, awful, with that Day of Judgment laws upon his face which had so often brought terror to the hearts of recalcitment juniors. His duty was plain. A man of his standing and position, he felt, was bound to put a stop to such ill-doing as this when enacted under his very nose. " Gentlemen," he same, "I very much re-

gret the necessity which compels and to take this action, but this gentleman "(innieating the definquent with a splendid gesture) is not dealing fairly. I have been abserving him for some moments, and I have demoted them in the act cheating.

The players had used their cards, and four faces, all flashers angry and indignant, were sad beety in near in the direction of the Hon. B. A. der. "Wine are year Ser, any Lank?" and the three men who had not been accused, in hostile chorus. "I am Mr Herenles Browne," was the answer, spoken with all the dignity which the atterance of that great name demand-

"Are you a member of this Club" asked the chorus "There not that bonour," and Browne, with protentous solemnity. 'I came here to dine with a gentleman of my acquaintance-- Mr Fisches." One of the seen called a waiter and whisnered something to lim. He departed hurriedly, an awkward silence followed,

during which Browne stood measily in the centre of the bostile group, which showl ingly ignored his presence. "Here is my card," he said at length, fumbling in his valstcoat pocket, and tendering the pasteboard to the gravest looking of the four strangers. The man re-

fused the proffered gift, and turned his back on the Hon. Horsules with the utmost insolence. Browne's breath was completely taken away by this fresh outrige, and before he

could find words in which to frame a suitable protest the waiter reappeared, followed by the hall-porter who had admitted the Hon. Hereales earlier in the evening, and a crowd of furtively grinning footmen. 'Has Mr Fischer been in the Club this evening?" asked the man who had declined Browne's ead.

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any life, Sir." Now them, Sir,' said the youngest of the anti-players. Will you kindly explain yourself ??

man whom Browne had accused of cheating beamed upon him vile triumph. The Hon. Hercules felt as though this were an evil dream. His indignation and horror fairly choked him; he could only stammer out, 'I am Mr Hercules Browne . . . I'm a a Companion of the Most Distinguished

Order . . . 'Bo damned to you,' interrupted the youngest young gentleman, airily. We are going to invest you with the Most Distinguished Order of the Boot. Here, you fellowe, out with him!! And at the word, at a sign from the man who had acted as apokeeman to the party, the waiters rushed No. 31 Des Voux at the Hon. Hercules, seized him violently in spite of his outery and his strugules, anot him down the stairs in a sories of ungainly and wholly involuntary bounds, wiped the hall with him, and finally dumped him down upon the dripping pavement without the building.

But the thing which hurts the Hon. Hercules more than all this is the fact that his friend Fischer, who has had some trouble with the Club committee, far from offering an apology or expressing regret for the affronts to which his guest was exposed, has written to say that he Browne, had only himself to blame, and that he, Fischer, has no further use for his, Browne's, acquaint-

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### His Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Class	Tons.	Guns.	T.U.P.	Giptain.	Last reporte
lecrity	despatch-vessel	1700		liuu()	Camile, Seymour E. Erskins	*. rigkong
*Albion	battleship, Ist class	12,950	16	13,500	Captain T. H. M. Joeram	Hongkong
agorino	ninop	1000	6	1400	Commander R. Nugent	fongkong
Laphitrito	cruiser, 1st class	11,000	16	18,000	Capt. Cimden Windham, C.V.O.	Weihaiwoi
Legensut	ernigor, let class	11.000	13	18,000	Cantain Goorgo H. Cherry	Uarykong
Blenhoun	cruiser, let class	9000	12	13,000	Captain F. G. Stopford	liongkon <b>g</b>
Sramble	gunboat, 1st class	710	6	1300	LieutCom. F. M. Leake	Hankow
ritomart	gunboat, 1st class	710	6	1300	LieutComdr. T. D. Pratt	Hongkong
ressy	cruiser, 1st class	12,600	14	] 12 <b>1,0</b> 00	Captain Henry M. Tudor	Hongkony
herub	water tank and tug	390	·	300		Hongkong
lelipso	cruiser, 2nd class	5600	11	9600	Captain Robert H. S. Stokes	Hongkong
sk	g-bt. 3rd class coast defence		3	200		<del></del>
spiegle	sloop	1070	10	1400	Comdr. Ernest Barton	Shanghai
สกาค	torpedo beat destroyer	360	6	5700		Shanghai
carless	cruiser, 3rd class	1580	12	3200	Conidr. John J. Graham	Hongkong
irobrand	gunboat, 2nd class	455	1 4	360	In Reservo	Hongkong
Glory	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Captain W. A. Carter	Hongkong
oliath	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Capt. F. H. Henderson, C.M.G.	Hongkong
andy	torpedo bost destroyer	275	6	4000	Lieut. Com. G. C. Hardy	Weihaiwci
art	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	· , <del> </del>	Shaughai
umber	storeship	1640	<b>!</b> —	800	Comdr. J. D. Daintree	Hongkong
<b>ា</b> ប្រជន	torpedo boat destroyer	280	6	3900	Fleet Reservo	Honghong
insha	river gunboat	_	4	! I	LtComdr. G. B. Powell	- Yangtso-Kiang
oorhen	river gunboat	180	2	800	LtConidr. G. G. Webster	Cauton
lutino	gloop	980	10	1400	Comdr. C. W. M. Plenderleath	Hongkong
cean	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Captain R. W. White	Hongkong
tter	torpede hoat destroyer	350	6	6390	LtCom. C. P. Mansel	Shanghai
hœnix	aloop	1015	6	1400	Commander W. H. Nichelson	Hongkone
ique	cruiser, 2nd class	3600	8	7000	Capt. Harry C. Reynolds	Hongkong
ambler	Surveying-vessel	835	6	650	Captain Morris H. Smyth	Hongkong
inaldo -	sloop	980	10	1400	Com. D. St. A. Wake	Hongkong
opiu	river gunboat	85	2	240	LtCom. John P. Irven	Canton
оватіо	sloop	980	6	1400	Comdr. O. A. W. Hamilton	Shanghai
udpiper	river gunboat	85	2	240	LioutCom. Murray Lockhart	Hongkong
រាំរួរថ	river gunboat	85	2	240	LtComdr. Worsley	Shanghai
iku .	torpode boat destroyer	250	6	6500	Fleet Reserve	Hongker g
ripos	cruiser, 2nd class	5600	11	9800	Captain Lewis Bayly	Hongkong
inlir *	receiving ship	4650	6	-	Commodora Robinson	Hongkorg
eal	river gunboat	180	2	800	LtComdr. R. W. Dalgety	Shanghai
veed	coast defence gunboat	363	3	200	Lieut. Forbes	Woosung
estal -	sloop	980	10	1400	Comdr. S. St. John Farquhar	Hongkong
atorwitch	surveying ship	620	-	450	LtComdr. Ernest C. Hardy	Hongkone
hiting	· torpede hoat destroyer	360	6	5900	LtCom. C. Mackenzie, D.S.O.	Shanghai
oodcock	river gunboat	150	2	550	LieutCom. Hugh Somerville	Hankow
oodiark	river gunbout	150	2	550	LieutCom Chilcott	Shanghai
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\* Flag of Vice-Admiral Sir Cyprian A. G. Bridge, K.C.B., Commander-in-Obief.

\* \* Flag of Rear-Admiral Harry T. Grenfell, C.M.G.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station

	Name.	Flug and Description.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Last reported
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1	Kaiser Karl VI	Austrian ergiser	6250	20	12,800	Captain Dredger	Nanking
	Attus	French zunboat	<u>200</u>	<b>—</b>	-	Light A. Bellov	Shangaai
	Argus Aspic	French gunbost	473	3	(50	Commander Journel	Saigon
	Ayalanche	French gunboat	<del></del>		· -	Manager Commence	Canton Rive Haiphong
1	Bengali	French gunboat	580			Liont, Nick	Nanking
1	Bugeaud	French cruiser	4009	19	9000	Capt. Lefevre	Saigon
İ	Chatemrennult	French cruiser	8000 525			Captain de Pampelonné Communider Loyel	Halphong
•	Correte	French gunboat French ganboat	690	_		Communical Learns	Shanghai
Ì	Desidée	French Engsley	8114	14	12,500	Gantali: Fournet	Ton. in
	d'Entrecasteaux	French cruiser	3739	10	9000	Captain Serris	Woosung
	Friant Kerssint	French gunle of	1250	6	2200	Capt. Le Golleur	Canton
í	Lion	French ganlant	476	j —	—	Caps. Bécue	Saigon
ĺ	Olrg	French gunhaat	- <del>-</del>	-		Capt. Hunar	Yangtse
ŀ	Pascal	French cruses	3888	1.4	8500	Captain Scuen -	Shanghal
•	Redoubtable	French cruiser	9437	6	6071	Captain Bonifoy Capt. Vincent	Shanghai Saigen <sub>e (1</sub>
:	Styx .	French cruleer	1500 - 629	2	909	Captain Mornet	Kwonenauwan
	Surprise	French gunboat French gunboat	020		-	enprant rec	Yangoso
Ì	Taking	French crussor			[ 	Captein Hondel	Along Bay
-	Vaulan: Vigilant	French gunboat	_	<u> </u>			Canton-
	Vipere .	French gunboat	400	چ ا	441	Condy, Villeneove	Saigon
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-	Bussard	German cruiser	1600	8	2900	Comdr. Huss	Kiantechen
	Fürst Bismarck	German flagship	11,000	36	[14.000	Captain Friedrich	Amoy
Ì	Geiet	German cruiser	1600	20	110 000	Condr. Wathmann	Shanghai
Ì	Hansa	German cruiser German cruiser	6000 6000	20	10,000	Capt. van Semmern Capt. Ingenohi	Foothow Amoy
ĺ	Hertha	German gunboat	1000	10	1309	Cours Commander Platen	Swatow
}	Iltis Jaguar	German gunboat	900	10	1300	Comdr. Wilbrandt	Hongkong
1	Luchs .	German gunboat	850	10	] - 1	Condr. Kroencke	Yangtse
j	Seculler	German croiser	1600	8	2800	Comdr. Hoffmann	Nanking "
	Tiger	German gunboat	900	10	1300	Comdr. Schrader	Kiantschop
i	Vorwaerts	German gunboat	<u> </u>	-		LieutComdr. von Weise	Shaughai
}	Thetis	German cruiser	<del></del>			Captain Dick	Shanghai
	Lombardia	Italian cruiser	2900	10	6843	Captain John Boet	Shanghal
	Piemonte	Italian cruiser	2500	32	12,000	Captain Armona	Shanghai
	Vesuvio	Italian cruiser	4500	14	6820	Captein Zezi	Bhangha
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	Diu	Portuguese gunboat	720	1 <b>-</b> '	-	Captain d'Azevedo	Macao
	Zaire	Portuguese gunboat	600	_	<b>-</b>	Capt. F. J. Barboza Leal	Macio
		Puggian annhage	810	6	730	Comdr. Guinter	Vladivostock
	Alcout	Russian gunboat Russian cruiser	2600	5	4700	Comdr. Gramatchikeff	Port Arthur
	Amaur Askold	Russian cruiser	8500	_	:	Capt. Reitzenschtein	Nagasaki
	Bobre	Russian gunboat	1050	8	1150	Comdr. Zalevsky	Newchwang
	Gaidaman	Russian gunboat	500	9	3500	Comdr. Yourieff	Port Arthur
Ϊŧ	Gremiastchy	Russian gunboat	1490	6	2000	Comdr. Zagarausky	Shanghai
OF.	Gromoboi	Russian battleship	12,364	144	14,500	Captain Jessen	Nagasaki
_	Guiliak	Russian gunboat	1000 1213	1 7	1000 1500	Condr. Shumoff	Shaughai Nanking
D.	Koreetz	Russian gunboat Russian gunboat	1224	7	1400	Comdr. Novakowsky Commander Muravief	Shanghal
14,	Mandjour Otvajny	Russian gunboat	1490	6	2000	Comdr. Vasilieff	Port Arthus
hŧ	Poresviet	Russian battleship	12,674	15	14,500	Captain Koroleff	Nagasaki
щ	Fotropavlovsk	Russian battleship	10,960	16	10,600	Captain Jakovleff	Port Arthur
D	Poltava	Russian battleship	10,960	16	10,600	Captain Oseroff	Port Arthur
	Rasboynics	Russian cruiser	1334	10 32	1766	Comdr. Liven	Kwongchauwan Wadimatan
	Rossia	Russian protected cruiser	12,200 10,923	26	17,000 13,250	Captain Sepelrennipost Capt. Matusovich	Vladivostock Nagasaki
	Rurik	Russian battleship	10,960	16	10,600	Captain Serebrennikoff	Nagasaki
	Sevastopol Silatch	Russian gunboat	950	2	1125	LieutComdr. Ivanoff	Port Arthur
	Sivootch	Russian gunbost	1050	8	1120	Comdr. Ginter	Port Artnur
	Varyag	Russian cruiser	6500	27	20,000	Capt. Bahr	Port Artiur
	Vsadn li	Russian gunboat	500	9 "	3300	Comdr. Zagoriansky-Kissel	Port Arthu
	Zahiska	Russian cruisor	1230	1 19	1194	Comdr. Abramoff	Port Action
	}	U. S. gunboat	1000	-10	1277	Commander Karl Rohrer	
-	Znnapolis	U. S. gunboat					Hongkong
	Callao Don Juan de Austria	U. S. gunboat	1159	8	1600	Commander C. G. Bowman	Manila
	Eleano	U. S. ganboat	540			Lt. Comdr. A. G. Winterhalter	Amoy
ı	Frolic -	U. S. gunbost		1 —	1 -	LieutComdr. J. M. Helm	
!	General Alays	U. S. gunboat	1800		1000	LieutComdr. W. F. Halso	Menda
٠ ×	Helona .	U. S. gunboat.	1392		1988	Comdr. R. R. Ingersoll Comdr. Parker	Manils
	Isla de Cebu	U. S. gunbeat U. S. flagship	400 11,500	1 .	10,000	Captain C. H. Stockton	Hongkong Hongkong
	E   Kentucky	U. S. gunbost	1900	1	750	Condr. T. H. Stevens	Manile 1
	Manila Monadnock	U. S. monitor	3990			Captain Mahan	Shanghai
	Monocacy	U. S. gunboat	1370			Comdr. F. M. Wise	Taku
	Monterey	U. S. monitor	408	4		Comdr. Dryke	Canton
	New Orleans	U. S. cruisex	4140			Captain Ingersoll	Hongkong
111)	9 New York	U. S. flagship	<b>82</b> (⊌)			Captain M. R. S. Mackenzie	Amoy
	Princeton	U. S. gunhoan	1004	1 .		Commander J. R. Selfridge	Nagasaki,
	Rainbow	U. S. cruiser	6000 1060		1 .	Commandan & P Pane	Manila Manil
	Vicksburg Villalobos	U. S. cruiser U. S. gunboat	1000 400		1	Commander E B. Barry Lieut. L. C. Bertoletto	Manil
CC	Wilmington	U. S. gunbost	1397		· •	L L	Amoy Amoy
-1	Yerktown	U. S. gunboat	171		1801		Manila

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H. PRICE & CO.,

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Meeting.

5.15 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of the Bowling Club, at Club Premises.

Miscellaneous.

Goods per Sydney unclaimed after Noon

General Memoranda.

Goods per Chusen not cleared at 4 p.m.

5.15 p.m.-Public Lecture by Rev. E. J

11 a.m .- Meeting of Shareholders of The

Postage Stamps at Mr Geo. P. Lam.

ture, &c., at the residence of Captain

2.30 p.m.-Anction of Household Furni

9 30 p.m. -Meeting of Victoria Lodge.

Goods per Franc Ferdinand undelivered

after this date subject to rent.

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Hardy at the City Hall.

SATURDAY, March 21 :-

Company's Offices.

mert's Sales Rooms.

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THESPAN, March 24 :--

date subject to rent.

date subject to rent.

Wednesday, March 25:-

10 a.m. - Military Practice.

on this date subject to rent and land-

by the Rev. F. T. Johnson, WILLIAM SCOTT BORK WS, son of the late Henry Borrows, WHISKIES IN THE EAST. formerly Art Master, Technical College, Huddersfield, Yorkshire, to LETITIA P. King, daughter of G. J. W. King, Public SCOTCH. Per Doz. | Works Dept., Hongkong. Our own Bettling. On March 10, in St. Andrew's Cathedral, O. S., very old Liqueur Sing pore, by the Ven Archdongon Dun-

kerley, M.A., G. E. VENNING THOMAS, of Specially Selected ... 10.50 Singapore, to Grace Maser, eldest Choice Old Highland 9.00 daughter of General H. Cortlandt-Ander-Glenlivet ... ... The Distillers Co., Ltd. King Edward VII Liqueur

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12, Queen's Road.

13.50 | Deeply regretted. Sole Agents. gar-The publication of this issue commenced Teacher's 'Highland Cream D. G., Dump bottles

The China Itaii.

#### EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Green Island Cement Co., Ltd., at the 2.30 p.m.-Auction of Old and Rare S. Robinson, R.N.R., No. 4, Beli ios | foreign trade with China is bad for the | have been as logical to say that Great |

finencial institutions dependent upon Britain, which is, after all, but a small that trade. Once this idea is grasped portion of the whole world, could Goods per Bentaria undelivered after this by bank shareholders they will begin not have a gold standard because a Goods per Glenshiel not deared on this to be misled by the offhand of its products used silver and declarations of the banking experts, other mediums of exchange. It is a found in the ferefront of the agitation | The 'impossible' may yet be accomplisfor, at least, currency reform in China, \ since that seems to promise an expansion of the export and import trade between China and gold-using countries. Waying on the currency onestioned the 13th inst., the N.-C. Daily News says; "We are all conscious of the injury that is done to us by the fall in silver, which is arrested every now and | paid a visit to Italia on contrathen but soon recommences; but there are some who hold that, desirable as it may be to get China to fall into line with the civilised world and change her standard, such a change is at, the present moment impossible. Obviously, however, no good can be done if we sit down and fold our hands and content ourselves with dwelling on this impossibility. Impossibilities are often WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS. found to lose that quality when they

are vigorously tackled; and even if a discussion of the subject by the China Association and its colleagues of Germany and the United States, and by the General Chamber of Commerce, had no immediate result, it would help us all, Chinese as well as foreigners, to have a better understanding of the subject, Celebrated and would assist those on whom it will devolve in the future to settle how the change is to be made. There are at least two good schemes, the Tientsin one and that of Mr F, Anderson, before us already, and they have so much in BLEND common, that we may fairly conthat the question after all is not insoluble.' Our contemporary then proceeds to summarise the schemes. Mr M. H. Houston, played two 'cello soles very attractively, Manager of the Imperial Bank of China at Tientsin, agrees with the contention Mr E. C. Mayers, in a paper published in the P. and T. Times, that an effort should be made to induce China to adopt a milform garagey throughout | Coster and Rev. T. Wright was sung with the Empire, and both seem to think that it is impossible at present to make lack of rehearsal by the quartette. the standard a gold one. 'The first accompaniments were played by M step,' says Mr Houston, 'is to establish a uniform silver currency over the whole

> the necessary steps to provide for a uniform national coinage which shall legal tender in obligations throughout the Empire by British as well as Chinese subjects \* swift and deadly. If the cold is a lingering TS always getting his fingers burnt, his Our Shanghai contemporary says: 'Mr 568 a large reserve of gold before she can Ltd., General Agents.

Empire; until this is done it is useless

discussing a gold standard. This was

the Treaty of Shanghai, and embodied

in Article 11: "China agrees to take

adopt the gold standard. He shows by. On March 18th, at St. John's Cathedral | the experience of Italy, Japan, and Russia, that this is a false policy. He Notes by the Way. quotes the well-known Mr Hermann Schmidt: "The only sound policy is to start with open mints for the coinage of gold, and let the rest take care of itself. This is what has been wisely pore. done in India, when the Government said at 1s. 4d. we take your gold, and it came, and when exchange falls we On the 17th March, at Bombay, Hor-MUSJUE MEHERWANJEE MEHTA, of Musses | let it to go again." Mr Houston adds: "China is governed by the same 16.50 Framjee Hormusjee and Co. By Wire. economic laws as other countries, and what is true of re-establishing specie payments is true of establishing them; therefore the borrowing of gold to establish a gold currency is a most unsound policy to pursue even if it were practicable. Our object, however, in this article is not to discuss the question, but to urge in the words of a letter on the subject that has reached us just as we are writing these lines: "If the Chambers The agitation for fixity of of Commerce would forcibly bring the of useless advertising. FIXITY OF exchange has spread from matter before the Home Government, The Plague. EXCHANGE. Singapore and Hongkong | and the Ministers in Peking, the Goto Shanghai and Tientsin, | vernment would be compelled to ins was inevitable, and we are firmly vestigate the financial situation." In convinced that, were it not that the the present circumstances our strength interests of many of the Foreign re- is not to sit still.' These quotations sidents in the Coast Ports are bound | serve to show the drift of public up so completely in the local banking opinion in Shanghai and the north, The Lord Lieutenant's Prerogative. institution, the agitation would be and we hope that the outcome of the stronger and more outspoken. The agitation will be a speedy reform of the causation in this, from a contemporary's bank's administrative staff having de- | currency of China. It may not be possclared that nothing can be done to all lible to introduce a gold coinage, but leviate the present fluctuations-which gold standard without a gold coinage is undoubtedly the truth so long as the | may not be so impossible as it appears in present conditions prevail—the tend- theeyes of the economists. The prevalent accept the assumed inevitable. But it in Hongkong is that this Colony cannot be is becoming more and more apparent | be divorced from China (which, as the that even the bank's interests may above extracts prove, has no standard

ency is to give a sigh of despair and to idea of the so-called important minority Dr G. E. Morrison. suffer from the prevalent stagnation of currency at all), and that because China ton, and since his return has been the trade, and it may be taken as a fair uses spelter cash and other metallic dross, assumption that whatever is oad for Hongkong must use silver. It would lency Sir Henry Blake.

to see that is possible for them | considerable portion of the consumers | and it is not outside the bounds of healthy sign that the northern trading possibility that the banks may yet be communities are bestirring themselves. hed—as has been the case in other

directions in this age of progress, Mr E. R. Belilios. in more more the mettings C.M.G. who has been resident in London for upwards of two years, returned to the Colony yesterday | Hospitals. by the Austrian Lloyd steamer Franz Fer-

Getting over a Difficulty

The Peking and Tientsin Times of the th inst. says that the Tartar-General of Fengtien, having wired to the Throne that as he was unable to control the mounted brigands the Russians proposed to take the job off his hands, has been ordered to enrol the brigands as Imperial troops.

Concert at Kowloon Institute. Last night, a very successful concert was given in the Kowloon Institute by Mrs G. A. Woodcock and her friends. Unfortunately, the inclement weather kept away many regular attenders, but never theless, there was a large audience, which showed its appreciation in a most cordial manner. Songs were sung by Mrs Piercy, Mrs Jeffrey, Mrs Woodcock, and Messrs G. H. Edwards, G. W. Coster, G. A. Woodcock, and Cyril Hance, and duets by Mrs Piercy and Mrs Woodcock and Messrs J. H. R. and C. Hance. Mrs Jeffrey was the success of the evening. Remembering it was St Patrick's Day, she sang a couple of Irish songs in her usual charming manner, and was heartily encored on each occasion. Mr Edwards was in excellent voice, and should be a valuable addition to the local concert platform. Mr Koenig being encored for the first, and Miss Osborne, member of the Board; Mr G. A. Harker showed herself to be a pianoforte executante of the first class. Her natural talent has been highly cultivated, and she is skilful alike as accompaniat and soloist glee by Mrs Woodcock, Mrs Pierry, Mr. taste and expression, netwithstanding the Piercy, Mrs Woodcock, Miss Harker and Mr Webb. At the close, on the call of the Roy T. Wright, a hearty vote of thanks was accorded to Mrs Woodcock and her

they had provided. WHAT IS A COUGH? spasmodic effert to expel the mucus from the bronchial tubes. A cold causes a more abundant secretion of mucus and when the lungs and bronchial tubes are inflamed, they are extremely sensitive to the irritation. Unless carejis taken, the cold may result in pneumonia, which is one, the more leisurely but equally fatal consumption may set in. Do not neglect a

friends for the excellent entertainment

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Singapore has declared Natal plague-

Warren's Circus, after a prolonged our in Indo-China, is now playing in Singa-

The Empress Dowager has raised Yung Lu's second wife to the vacant post of his

H.M.S. Thetis had a rough passage out from Home. She was repainted on her arrival at Singapore.

Consulate in South Africa, the first occupant being Mr Hiramidzu, now Japanese Consul .The opinion is expressed that the Hanoi Exposition suffered from a lack of Kulangsu.

European visitors from the Far Eastern ports because of the lack of advertising. As a matter of fact, there was a good deal Four plague cases to-day-all 'dumped.' One body was found between Swatow

Street, and one in McGregor Street.

Lane and Amoy Lane, one in Shing Wong

Is there a sort of propter hoe chain of fashionable intelligence :- Lord Ludley has allowed the custom of kissing the de butantes to drop. The Countess looks wel and strong again.

correspondent, left to-day for Shanghai one-half Britishers to one-half of other and the North by the C. P. R. steamer Athenian. He paid a short visit to Can- to serve on the Council, for they have, I guest at Government House of His Excel- Council. One representative of each Mis-

Mr Whitaker Wright.

Mr Whitaker Wright, who was arrested at New York, where he had fled from justice, is chiefly known to fame as the promoter and Managing Director of the London and Globe Finance Corporation whose collapse has caused widespread suffering. He has a beautiful seat at Witley in Surrey, where he has spent huge sums of money and employed a small army of workmen in erecting a mansion of oriental splendour in grounds of like magnificence. Among the villagers, he has been popular as a levish entertainer and a generous giver

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice annual donations received for 1903 :--Compradores Guild Nam Pak Hong Guild

Poultry Guild Salt Fish Guild Boarding Housekeepers Guild Bankers Guild Opium Guild Chin Wah Hong Co. Cotton Yarn Dealers Guild Druggists Guilds Esting Housekeepers Guild Pawn Brokers, Guild Roast Ment Guild Exporters and Importers Guild Foreign Clothes Dealers Guild Ginseng Dealers Guild Goldmiths Guild Mat Bags Guild Dried Fruit Dealers Guild Kwok Shin Lin Tong Foreign Goods Dealers Guild Tea Shop Guild

Old Clothes Dealers-Guild Paper Ware's Dealers Guild Tobacco Dealers Guild Fresh Fish Guild Dyes Dealers Guild

Complimentary Dinner to Dr Clark. Last night, the members of the Sanitary Board staff entertained the Medical Officer of Health (Dr F. W. Clark) to a complimentary dinner in the Hongkong Hotel. Dr Pearse, who is to act as Medical Officer of Health during Dr Clark's absence, presided, and there were upwards of fifty gentlemen present, including Mr E. Woodcock, Secretary; Mr J. J. Bryan, Surveyor; Mr A. Gibson, Colonial Veterimary Surgeon; the members of the staff and a few outside friends. In the course of the evening, the Chairman, in the name of tho seem, proposed the healthot the M.O.H., | so that he had lived to reach his 82nd year. and presented him with a handsome silver. He was educated at the Clapham and Rugservice for Mrs Clark, and a gold bangle versity, receiving high distinction for their daughter. He wished Dr Clerk a student. From 1846-58, he was Assistant happy holiday after his seven and a-half Master at Rugby, and was Master and a pleasant voyage, assuring him of a being Master of University College, Oxmade a suitable and appropriate reply. appointed Chaplain in Ordinary to Queen Other toasts followed, and a very happy evening was spent. Dr Clark goes on Worcester, and was appointed to the De-

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dumburg to day to wish him bon voyage.

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### TELEGRAMS.

['CHINA MAIL' SPECIAL SERVICE.]

AMOY MUNICIPALITY.

FIRST COUNCIL APPOINTED.

Difficulties over Voters' Qualifications.

(From Cur Own Correspondent.)

Amov. March 18, 8.10 a.m. Owing to some difficulties having arisen over the qualifications of those It is stated that Japan is establishing a residents claiming the right to vote, the Foreign Consuls have appointed the members of the first Municipal Council of the International Settlement at

The following are the gentlemen appointed :- Mr Akaba, Mr J. J. Dunne (Messrs Jardine, Matheson and Co.), Mr. F. B. Marshall (Messrs Tait and Co.), W. H. Wallace (Hongkong Street, one on the footpath at No. 7 Stanley | Orr (Messrs Boyd and Co).

> Writing on the eve of the election, our correspondent says :-

The first council under the new régime is to be elected on Tuesday, March 17, and expresses have been already sent round stating who have a right to vote, and who are eligible as Candidates on the Council. The list of candidates contains eighteen names, twelve Britishers and six of other nationalities (including one Japanese), Dr G. E. Morrison, The Times' Peking | whereas the proportion of voters is about nationalities. The Consuls are not eligible believe, a vote on everything passed by the sionary Society is eligible for a seat on the Council: there are three Protestant Societies and the Roman Catholic Mission represented here. Some sixty Japanese applied for registration as voters, but their application was refused.

> [N. C. DAILY NEWS SERVICE.] THE 'RAGGING' IN THE

GUARDS. London, March 12. The Earl of Hardwicke (Under-Secretary stur on his honour.

THE ARMY ESTIMATES.

The Hon. Ivor C. Guest (Conservative, dinard. We understand that Mr Belillos Memorial and Nethersole Hospitals begs Plymouth) moved to reduce the vote by An Interesting Will. to acknowledge with thanks the following 27,000 men. He declared that the reduction in the numbers would result in a better class of recrnits.

200 | Stepney) seconded the amendment, which was supported by Mr A. Emmott (Liberal, 125 Oldham) and by Sir John Gorst (Conserva-

tive, C mbridge University). 100 Dean) protested against a paper army composed of men wearily unfit.

Sir Edward Grey (Liberal, Berwick) 80 | feared the country was being blod to death

in peace time.

Mr Brodrick (Secretary for War) firmly turkies (? turquoise) and pearl breach to refused to change his plan. He declared the amendment was an expression of hasty, the two broches C- gave me one to 50 ill-considered reaction. The amendment was rejected by 245 votes to 154. LONDON, March 13.

The House of Commons has voted £9,647,000 for the pay of the army by

Mr Winston Churchill and othe s renew ed their attack on the Army Corps system, when speaking in support of a motion for reduction, which was rejected by 226 to 94.

THE EASTERN QUESTION. An Austrian cruiser division is to visit the Levant at the end of this month.

OBITUARY.

The death is announced of the Very Rev. G. G. Bradley, D.D., Doan of Westminstor,

The Very Reverend George Granville Mr W\_\_\_\_ Bradley, D.D., LL.D., Dean of Wesminster, was born on the 11th of Documber 1821 inkstand for himself, a pretty silver tea by Grammar Schools, and Oxford Uni- the author of the above interesting doyears of continuous and arduous service, Marlborough from 1858-70, afterwards hearty welcome on his return. Dr Clark ford, from 1870-81. In 1879, he was ponement of her accession to so much Victoria. In 1881, he was made Canon of year's leave, and many friends enery of Westminster in the same year. went on board the German mail steamer | He was a writer of several notable books, and co-operated with R. E. Prothero in the writing of the 'Life of Dean Stanley.']

## TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S SERVICE.] MR CHAMBERLAIN'S RETURN.

LONDON, March 16, 1903. Mr Chamberlain was received by the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace yesterday.

RUSSIA AND THE MACEDONIAN REFORMS.

In consequence of the objections of Russia to German officers, the Sultan has authorized the engagement of Swedish and Norwegian instructors for the Macedonian gendarmerie.

#### THE SOMALILAND

EXPEDITION, The Mullah is now within a triangle, the three angles of which, at Galkayu, Damot and Bari are co-operating. The Abyssinians occupy Bari.

> THE 'TIMES' ON THE GOVERNMENT.

The Times remarks that, despite the popularity of the Premier, the confidence of the people in the Government is slipping away. Mr Chamberlain may be and Shanghai Bank), and Mr W. Snell able to prevent a rot setting in among the Ministerialists, both in and out of Parliament; if so, he has not come back a moment too soon.

OFFICIAL APPOINTMENT

Assistant Director of Public Works.

We learn that Mr P. N. H. Jones, Civil-Engineer, has been appointed Assistant Director of Public Works for Hongkong. Mr Jones's name does not appear in the Colonial Office List; and we understand that he has not hitherto been in the regular service of the Colonial authorities. He is at present employed in Trinidad, where extensive harbour inprovements, waterworks, and sewage operations are in course of construction under the advice of Mr Osbert Chadwick, one of the Consulting Engineers of the Colonial Office. It is understood that the new Assistant Director of Public Works is the nomines of Mr Chadwick, who, it will be remembered by older residents, was responsible for the Hon. F. A. Cooper's first appointment to Hongkong. In view of his experience in Trinidad and the work now in progress in Hongkong, Mr Jones's appointment seems to be eminently satisfactory, and it is to be trusted, with this addition to the staff of the Public Works for War) in the House of Lords said that Department, the public improvements con-Lord Roberts received Lt.-Colonel Kinloch | templated or in progress in this Colony. after sentence (in the 'ragging' case) was | will now be pushed on towards completion. promulgated, and assured him there was no | Since the Hos. W. Chatlam's promotion to the position of Director of Public Works, Mr J. F. Boulton has been Acting Assistant Director of Public Works.

The following is a copy (slightly altered) of the last will and testament of a young lady of nine years resident in the excellent health :-

Major Evans Gordon (Conservative, Colony, and still, we are pleased to say, in WILL AND TESTAMENT, I am G---- W----. My propy. To my little sister E- I give all my Sir Charles Dilke, (Liberal, Forest of dolls except the baby one-that is for N-; and all my toys to E-; books and hoops and sticks and my bloating pad to father, and the 'Little

> Folks' that I got on my 9 birthday, my prety scent botle to father; my E---; my plain gold one to Mother, and G---- and one to Mother; my pearls to E-; my coral to auntie. The money in the bank is to be divided between father and auntie; money in the money box to be divided between Mother and E ...... My clothes to E---; my jewls that remane are for E---; my plad and my gold ring for E-, and my watch and chain for

E-, if I get it [Evidently promised but not yet in possession !-- Ep. ]; and all of my sweets and one of my dolls to A----. My birthday book is for Cousin D-, and my lessons books and the rest of my things are for E- And I forgive all the sings (? sinners) and I hope they forgive me. I send my love to all and

I wish my hair to be cut off and given (Signed.) Gwen, owner.

> Witness. Witness.

We may add that it is the ambition of

cument to become a writer of books. If she continues to develop the imaginative faculties she possesses she gives promise of being a successful authoress. At the risk of offending E- by suggesting postwealth, we wish the writer long life and large additions to her store of worldly possessions, together with success in her contemplated career.

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LONDON LETTER.

(I'rom' Our Own Correspondent.) London, February 6.

For many months, Bridge has held on irrejistible sway among the 'upper ten, but signs are not lacking that its fascination is on the wane, and there will be few to regret the fact. It is often lost sight of that Bridge is a game of skill and not chance, and habitual players are bound to win when pitted against novices. One of the very worst evils for which it is answerable is the wisady gambling which it has introduced among Society women, and it is well knews that many a person has been cassed by the people to whose house they have been invited in friendship. At country house parties, the mania for the game has developed into scandalous ergies of gambling, play being kept up till dawn announces that a new day has were in the let at / and so the widdle of course round amountaing the opening of a been born some hours. Even from West, End pulpits, the clergy have not busitated to condemn their congregation for their unbridled indulgence, but at the Colony MR J. GOOSMANN appreciation and support the company had will ACT as SECRETARY to the COMbeautif same fore admired to aborginary and the impresidenced that there for young, Secret less legiters in the weeks food till, unmercied women to recklessly fling

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THE BROUGHS' FAREWELL PERFORMANCE.

Last night, at the Theatre Royal, the Brough Company terminated their present season in Hongkong, when they gave (by special request) another performance of that ever-enjoyable comedy 'Are you a Mason?' The crowded house and appreciative audience dispelled at once any doubts as to the popularity of the piece. From start to finish, the little worries and troubles of the two brother Masons were watched with lively interest, and at times it was really difficult to know whether one was crying or laughing, so hearty and continuous was the laughter and applause. Of the other members of the company, nothing more need be said than that they, one and all, acted up to their reputation. On the cartain being rung down for the last time, hearty cheers were raised for Mr and Mrs Brough. This was repeated again and again, and cries of 'Speech, speech was heard from various parts of the theatre. Nothing would satisfy the audience until Mr Brough a epped forward, and, on behalf of Mrs Brough and himself, and also of his company, he thanked those present for their support that night, despite the inclemency of the weather, and also the received during the present season. Mr PANY. Brough, in the course of his speech, referred to the present condition of the theatre. He himself thought that necessary alterations, both in front and behind the scenes were needed; but he might tell them that he had it on the authority of a local enthusiastic I groups far the display of individual in | contleman that these alterations were only a mere question of time. He hoped so, The price of Assertion of is offer recy | generally and as at present for it would enhance the appearance in front, and add a little to the comfort of those behind the scenes. He was unable at present to say anything about future arrangements. That was left in aboyance until they reached home, but he had no doubt but that they should exchange greetings once more over the footlights of the Hongkong Theatre. Mr Brough once more thanked them for the appreciation and support extended to Mrs crough, himself,

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Test Cases at Singapore. On Saturday (reports the Singapore Free Press of the 9th inst ), Mr Reeckmann, Master of the ss. Pabelsberg, was charged

before Mr Brockman with 'failing to carry a qualified medical practitioner who shall attend to the health of the passengers and sanitation of the ss. Bubelsberg carrying more then 20 Chinese Immigrants contrary to the provisions of Section 33 (1) of

Mr Evans, Protector of Chinese, prosecuted, and Mr Edlin defended. Officer, deposed that on the 4th instant he Dr Leask stated that the diploma of

graduate of Tokio College was not a degree diploma or license to practice medicine or | ex s.s. Venus transhipped at Trieste. surgery. It was not registrable by the Registration in the United Kingdom. said he engaged the Japanese doctor in Goods have left the Godowns, and

aware of the new rules, and did not know wilk of a pink slinds, which matched the that the doctor's qualifications would not be recognised here. Mr Evons said as this was the first prosecution under the new Ordinance he did not wish to press the case.

The Court remarked that the penalty in such cases was a \$1,600 fine. Having re-In the early part of last year M. gard to the circumstances, the Court imposed a nominal time of \$10 and costs. Mr Edlin also appear d for the masters We went how is reserved thanks for that sales, as I to diego the Condenses have not derful that if all of the Rejaburi and Keong Wai, sum-A. Marson war, There are these wher think the merits it claims really exist, holding American qualifications. Mr Edlin said his clients pleaded 'guilty' to the charge, and a fine similar to that in the first case was imposed.

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Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, March 18, 1933.

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Hongkong, March 18, 1903.

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Hongkong, March 18, 1903.

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instruct. Her giank was a delightful The master of the vessel in his defence No Claims will be admitted after the Hongkong. Witness was informed that Claims must be sent in to the Oflice of the Here receptions to contact the missing the first Chaptein, the flex. Know, passed blue cloth, with a deep cardinal he was a qualified man. The doc or per- Undersigned before Noon, on the 24th formed his work well. Witness was not of March, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 24th of March, will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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#### SUPREME COURT.

IN ORIMINAL SESSIONS. Before His Honour Sir William Goodman, Chief Justice.) Wednesday, March 18, 1903.

THE KOWLOON WIFE MURDER. Ip Pang was placed in the dock and charged with the murder of his wife and grandfather at Kowloon on New Year's

He pleaded not guilty. Sir Henry Berkeley, Attorney General instructed by Mr F. B. L. Bowley, Crown clicitor) prosecuted; and Mr M. W. Slade defended. The following jury tried the chan: -Mesars C. M. P. Remedios, Geo. Richardson, H. Haynes, J. T. M. Wheeley, O. B. Thomas, H. F. Carmichael, and C. H.

The Attorney General said that in answe the charge against him, the prisoner and, on previous occasions, as well as that as good as at home, one would not so much ny, stated that he did chop his wife to vilfully. What that meant he could not Prisoner was alconing in the jouse of his grandfather on the night of he murder. The grandfather and grandnother, in addition to his wife, and a child. ere in the house; and in the middle of woman and told her that the accusad as ch pping his wife. The old man, Bakery Co., Sing Kee and Co., assure all ho had adopted the accused as his grand- and sundry that they will supply bread on, was also chopped by him, and both ied after being taken to hospital. hild gave the alarm and an Indian consable arrested the prisoner. There was im of \$1,500 belonging to the grandfather the night of the crime.

#### ALICE MEMORIAL AND NETHERSOLE HOSPITALS.

Evidence was then led.

The Hon. Dr Ho Kai, C.M.G., provided | prices when they get customers enough. the annual meeting of the Finance Comttee of the Alice Memorial and Ne. | much greater than it was six months ago. ersole Hospitals which was held yesterday ernoon in the former institution. The ier gentlemen present were Dr J. C. omson, Rev. T. W. Pearce, Dr this week, beginning on Tuesday, 10th inst., MacLean Gibson (secretary), Mr D. bod (hon, treasurer), Mr Chau Shiu Ki. Tso, Mr Ahmet Rumjahn, Mr J. osmann, Mr D. Clark, and Mr G. erray Bain.

The Secretary read the notice calling the Soting, and the minutes of the last annual eting, which were confirmed. year, among other vital matters, the whole The report of the hospitals for the past ir was laid on the table.

The Hon. Treasurer read his teport, ich showed that the total income in 1902 | under discussion, and many new plans are \$13,335.41 against \$12,985.94 in 1901 to be adopted so as to bring all the schools, Enjoying 'The Merry Wives of Windm increase of \$349.97. Included in the ires for 1902, however, was a sum of from the preparatory schools upwards, inio from Chinese guilds which should have to line with the needs of the work. The in paid in 1901, and this fact would Presbyterians everywhere are famed for e to be considered in dealing with balance for 1903. In expenditure their young people, and here, as elsewhere re was an increase over the previous r of \$1,510 07, the figures being-1901. 386.31; 1902, \$13.895.38. The total enditure thus exceeded the total in- caring for their schools and Colleges. de by over \$500. The falling exchange an adverse factor in the accounts, and enhanced subscriptions that were dered necessary to balance them would doubt be forthcoming if appeals were de to those interested in charities.

clading his remarks, Mr Wood intimathis own retirement from the offic of hore. warer on the occasion of his approaching arture for home on leave, and suggested his successor, Mr H. C. Nicolle, Gov- ming's projected transference to Tientsin. ment local auditor, who was thoroughly He was in Amoy this week making arrange, sympathy with the work of the hospitals. Wood paid a very warm tribute to Dr ments for the wedding. cLean Gibson and his wife, for the unsing zeal they showed for the welfare he Hospitals.

or Thomson moved the adoption of Treasurer's report, and said that the who came out with the Bishop of Victoria tht difference between income and en-Editure had had its reasons so clearly blained that there was absolutely no The U/v. Goodman Johnson, who held the and for anxiety on the subject. Mr Goosmann seconded the motion, ich was carried unanimously. Rev. Mr Pearce moved a vote of thanks

Mr Wood, whose labours on behalf of · hospitals he extelled. The proposition was seconded by Mr. urray Bain and carried with acclamation. must have serious drawbacks if one is a Mr Wood having returned thanks, Dr bad sailer, as I believe Mr Goodman cLean Gibson proposed a vote of thanks Mr B. E. Hanson, the auditor, and this possi, which found its accorder in Mr it would be better to stay in each port god, was also carried with unanimous

On the motion of Mr Murray Bain, ing, besides enabling the clergyman to do conded by Mr Tso, Mr H. C. Nicolle was better weak. pointed hon, treasurer for the ensuing

The appointments to the Finance Comwith the thurder of immense quantities of ttee of Messrs Rumjahn, Tso, Wei On, d Chau Shiu Ki were confirmed, on the | Chinese crackers, let off in honour of the otion of the Chairman, seconded by Dr homson. It was also agreed to invite to come members of the Committee the Customs, Mr Lenox Simpson. He, with on. F. H. May, C.M.G., Hon. C. W. ckeon, Mr W. B. Dixon and Mr J. R. M.

Mr A. W. Brewin, who is at present on ave at home, was re-elected Chairman of e necessary motion and the Rev. T. W. | Smith, the second Commissioner, will take earce seconding it.

The Chairman reviewed the position of he hospitals, and said its financial aspect as not quite so favourable as he could a strong wish that he should become full hve wished. The Chinese, however, were sponding in the matter of subscriptions hore heartily than heretofore, and he was aclined to think that their previous back-(ardness had been more the outcome of lant of knowledge than of want ympathy. The end of the year would proably see an addition to the hospitals in the Mr Black, the manager of the Amey Dock, hape of a maternity hospital, the building lost of which, some twelve or thirtoen

calisation. A number of Chinese gentle- the Siberian Railway; Miss Benham (of nen had come forward with a guarantee to the London Mission), who also hopes to go neet the salary of the lady doctor who where instruction in midwifery would be English Presbyterian Mission), who is goimparted, and a number of nurses would be Dr Ho Kai concluded with an licknowledgement of the kindness of Mr ! Ho Fook in collecting the Chinese sub-

can Episcopal Mission in Manila, specially ecriptions for 1902. The proceedings came to a close with vote of thanks to the Chairman, proposed y Dr MacLean Gibson.

### TO PREVENT CROUP.

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DEGIN in time. The first symptom is D hoarseness, this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one feel as much of it here as they did upcountry. We did not wholly escape, howwho has bead it. The time to act is when the conducts becomes neared in Cham-berlain's Cough Remedy a freely given, all ever, for the tempest returned during the moment have shrunk from the large tendency to croup will soon disappear. early hours of Sunday morning, and ter- share of public attention which the of peptonate of iron adds to its valuable Even after the croupy cough has developed, rents of rain fell for hours, filling the wells festivity will attract: indeed, arrangedanger in given this remedy as its contains and mode, and cutting the roads in many ments are being made for a large force nothing injurious. It always cures and places. Rain tell most of the day on Sun. of police to keep in order the wroads nothing injurious. It always cures and places. TATKING Ltd.. General Aconts.

LONDON LETTER. AMOY NOTES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Amoy, March 16.

PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD.

and continuing up to Saturday, 14th inst

and the American Reformed (Dutch) Mis-

needed to get through the business. This

MATRIMONIAL NEWS.

Mabel Saunders is to be married to Mr

and Swire's, now manager in Swatow, on

Monday, April 6. The date is earlier than

originally intended, owing to Mr Cum-

THE PORT CHAPLAIN.

our new Port Chaplain, the Rev. Knox,

in the last English Mail, S.S. Valet'a

appointment for three years, is to go home

to England to resume work there. The

post can hardly be called an enviable one,

however necessary it may be, for it entails

a vast amount of travelling by sea, which

Johnson was. There are those who think

longer at a time, and so reduce the travell-

VALUTE!

On Friday afternoon, the air resounded

departure for home of the Commissioner of

his wife and three daughters, embarked

upon the n.s. Haiching to catch the Gor-

man Mail Steamer s.s. Hamburg. As his

successor has not yet arrived, Mr Frank

charge pro tem., and the universal feeling

here, both in the Customs and out of it, is

likely to leave this spring, are the follow-

ing :-- Mr and Mrs Stapleton (of Watson

with her two children; Dr J. A. Otte (of

in New ion Mission) who goes home via

THE WEATHER.

Commissioner in Mr Simpson's place.

We are looking forward to a visit from

London, February 6. For many months, Bridge has held INSTABILITY OF EXCUANGE. We in Amoy are wondering how the an irresistible sway among the 'upper suggestion of a fixed standard of exchange ten,' but signs are not lucking that its for Hongkong will affect us here. If all fascination is on the wane, and there the food we have to cat were obtainable will be few to regret the fact. It is from Closs, we might get along all right often lost sight of that Bridge is a game though there is still clothing to be conof skill and not chance, and habitual sidered. But as we are necessarily largely players are bound to win when pitted dependent upon home stores, the gradual against novices. One of the very worst depreciation of the Collar renders evils for which it is answerable is the increased cost of goods imported from abroad a serious item in one's finances. steady gambling which it has introduced Owing to the enhanced price of flour, th among Society women, and it is well Amoy bakers have put up the cost of known that many a person has been bread, and if, even then, the bread were ruined by the people to whose house But a change of bakers does not At country house parties, the mania for always mean 'better bread,' so we have to be content with what we can get. Oddly enough, just as the two principal bakers orgies of gambling, play being kept up have increased their prices, an express till dawn announces that a new day has comes round announcing the opening of a been born some hours. Even from new bakery, at old prices. The Amoy West End pulpits, the clergy have not and biscuits made from the finest Americae flour, and in order to induce folks to disappear, to lose most of its objectiontransfer their custom to them, they not able features, and we hope it will soon only announce low prices, but actually he considered bad taste for young send camples pround to everybody. As unmarried women to recklessly fling brend is a big item in the week's food bill, away money they cannot afford. I dare say a good many will patronize them for a while, though I should not like to prophesy that they will not raise their

Theatre gowns always afford plentiful scope for the display of individual in-The price of American oil is also very fashion has issued no very stern decree as to whether they shall lean to the The annual meeting of the Amoy and severely simple or to frills and frippery, District Presbyterian Synod has been held the result is a pleasing diversity in styles, and frocks made to suit all As the Synod includes two Presbyteries Is there anything more and two Missions, the English Presbyterian onthetic than an extremely slim girl, with a square cut bodice, the decollétage sions, the importance of its deliberations finished by a skimpy piece of embroidery increases, every year, and more time is sewn on quite flat? And yet there are thousands of women who will so garb educational side of the work has come themselves if their dressmaker should assure them that it is 'the latest.' sor' was a lady the other night who their deep interest in the education of in China, they are in the forefront in It is now settled, I hear, that Miss Alexander Cumming, of Messrs Butterfield

had assumed this austerity, but she before Mr Brockman with failing to carry possessed the wisdom of the wise, as it but served to show off the pretty plumpness of her shoulders and arms, and the pale blue colour of her gown intensified the fairness of her skin and auburn-tinted hair. The material was silk, which was shot with the palest pink, and the bodice was heavily trimmed with an almost ruby-coloured beaded embroidery, with sprays of palest green introduced, while the sleeves were of very full piece lace, which matched the lace with which the skirt inserted. Her cloak was a delightful completion of the frock, consisting of a cape of lace and lined with pale Liberty silk of a pink shade, which matched the soft and at the same time huge choux of ribbons which caught it together at

In the early part of last year M. Raffaeli brought before the public an invention so wonderful that if all of the Rajaburi and Keong Wai, sumthe merits it claims really exist, it must perforce revolutionise the system of painting. Raffali claims to have discovered process of producing oil colours in a solid form, while still retaining the necessary fluidity, any necessary toning down being done by the finger. This entirely obviates the use of brushes, the pneumonia. It is unequaled for bad colds. artist simply taking a stick of paint in It always cures and cures quickly. For time is also saved, as mixing on the lend Agents. palette is no longer required. The pictures produced in this way have the brilliancy of pastel, and the colour, either on canvas or paper, dries in a few days. Another novelty in the world artistic is a painting which is being exhibited at the Doré Gallery. It is a half-length picture of Christ, remarkable for an expression of tender beauty, but the startled spectator suddenly petrified by seeing the eyes In addition to those already named as unclose and a look of stern judgment settle on the whole face, entirely altering & Co.'s Dispensory); Mrs Black, wife of way similar to the illusion in the famous | many of our readers :-

picture of the St. Veronica Legend, but are secrets known only to the painter. mand been engaged for the new hospital, via Siberia in April; Miss Lecky, (of the couple purposing to enter the state of the wine I am able to eat, and enjoy a matrimony will eat their wedding break- good meal, and the neuralgic pains have ing via Australia; the Rev. H. E. Studley, fast in the shop window, they will become less frequent. I shall recommend who is leaving the American Reformed present them with furniture from their Mission and joining the staff of the Ameristores. After a lapse of eight months. thisoffer has been accepted, and on to work amongst the 50,000 Chinese living Sunday morning next month will be seen the happy pair, accompanied by eighteen friends, enjoying a lavish meal The weather is very warm, with mist which will be provided by a neighbour- in order to ward off winter ailments. In and fogs, and Saturday brought us our first | ing confectioner. Many have been the | incipient consumption, anaemia, and other thunderstorm this year, though we did not enquirers as to all the details of this arrangement, but while the men have shown a tendency to fulfil the con-

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THE BROUGHS' FAREWELL PERFORMANCE.

Last night, at the Theatre Royal, the Brough Company terminated their present season in Hongkong, when they gave (by special request) another performance of that ever-enjoyable comedy 'Ara you Mason?' The crowded house and appreciative audience dispelled at once any doubts as to the popularity of the piece. From start to finish, the little worries and troubles of the two brother Masons were watched with lively interest, and at times it was really difficult to know whether one was crying or laughing, so hearty and continuous was the laughter and applause. Of the other members of the company, nothing more need be said than that they, one and all, acted up to their reputation. they have been invited in friendship. On the curtain being rung down for the last time, hearty cheers were raised for Mr and the game has developed into scandalous | Mrs Brough. This was repeated again and again, and cries of 'Speech, speech,' was heard from various parts of the theatre. Nothing would satisfy the audience until Mr Brough a epped forward, and, on behalf of Mrs Brough and himself, and also hesitated to condemn their congregation of his company, he thanked those present for their unbridled indulgence, but at for their support that night, despite the last it seems that this craze is, if not to inclemency of the weather, and also the appreciation and support the company had received during the present season. Mr

to the present condition of the theatre. He himself thought that necessary alterations, both in front and behind the scenes. were needed; but he might tell them that he had it on the authority of a local enthusiastic gentleman that these alterations were only a mere equestion of time. He hoped so, genuity and taste, and as at present for it would enhance the appearance in front, and add a little to the comfort of those behind the scenes. He was unable at present to say anything about future arrangements. That was loft in aboyance until they reached home, but he had no doubt but that they should exchange greet ings once more over the footlights of the Hongkong Theatre. Mr Brough once more thanked them for the appreciation and support extended to Mrs crough, binself, and his company. With those parting words, the curtain was run down. The Company left to-day, by the C P.R teamer Athenian for Shanghai.

Brough, in the course of his speech, referred

#### IMPORTANT TO SHIPOWNERS

Test Cases at Singapore. On Saturday (reports the Singupore Free Press of the 9th inst ), Mr Reeckmann Master of the ss. Babelsberg, was charged a qualified medical practitioner who shall ittend to the health of the passengers and sanitation of the ss. Rubelshern carrying more than 20 Chinese Immigrants contrary to the provisions of Section 33 (1) of

Ordinance XIX of  $1902.^\circ$ Mr Evans, Protector of Chinese, prosecuted, and Mr Edlin defended. S. de Souza, the Protectorate Boarding | THE Co.'s Steamship Franz Ferdinand Officer, deposed that on the 4th instant he parded the Babelsberg from Amov. were 1 300 immigrants on the vessel. The being landed at their risk into the Godowns medical officer was a Japanese, a graduate of the Hongkong and Kowleon Wheel and of the Takin School of Medicine. Dr Leask stated that the diploma of he obtained graduate of Tokio College was not a degree | diploma or license to practice medicine or ex s s. Venus transhipped at Trieste. surgery. It was not registrable by the

Registration in the United Kingdom. The master of the vessel in his defence said he engaged the Japanese doctor in Goods have left the Godowns, and all Hongkong. Witness was informed that Claims must be sent in to the Office of the pastel blue cloth, with a deep cardinal he was a qualified man. The doc or per- Undersigned before Noon, on the 24th formed his work well. Witness was not of March, or they will not be recognized. aware of the new rules, and did not know that the doctor's qualifications would not any Goods remaining in the Godowns after

be recognised here. Mr Evans said as this was the first prosecution under the new Ordinance he did not wish to press the case. The Court remarked that the penalty in such cases was a \$1 000 fine. Having regard to the circumstances, the Court inposed a nominal time of \$10 and costs. Mr Edlin also appear d for the masters

moned on a similar charge, the doctors holding American qualifications. Mr Edlin said his clients pleaded 'guilty' to the charge, and a fine similar to that in the first case was imposed.

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Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office,

Hongkong, March 18, 1903. NOTÍCE.

TIROM the 1st April next and until further notice the price of BREAD will be TEN CENTS PER POUND. D. NOWROJEE & SON,

Hongkong Bakery. Hongkong, March 18, 1903.

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAC STEAMBOAT CO, LD.

NOTICE.

URING my temporary absence from the Colony MR J. GOOSMANN will ACT as SECRETARY to the COM-By Order of the Board of Directors,

-T ARNOLD...:

Hongkong, March 18, 1903.

NOTICE.

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Hongkong, March 18, 1903.

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J. M. BECK Superintendent. Hougkong, March 18, 1903.

USTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVI GATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TRIESTE, FIUME, PORT SAID, ADEN, COLOMBO. PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

having arrived. Consignees of Cargo are There hereby informed that their Goods are Godown Co., Limited, whence delivery may

This Vessel brings cargo :- From Venice Optional Cargo will be discharged here.

immediately. No Claims will be admitted after the No Fire Insurance has been effected, and the 24th of March, will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

SANDER, WIELER & Co., Hongkong, March 18, 1903.

BARBER LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

MARGO ex s.s. Richmond Castle from New York having arrived per Benlavia from Singapore, consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Honorong and Kowloon Wharf and Go-DOWN COMPANY, LTD., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 24th inst, will be subject to rent,

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 26th March, or they will not be recog-

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Hongkong, March 18, 1903.

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Hongkong, March 18, 1903.

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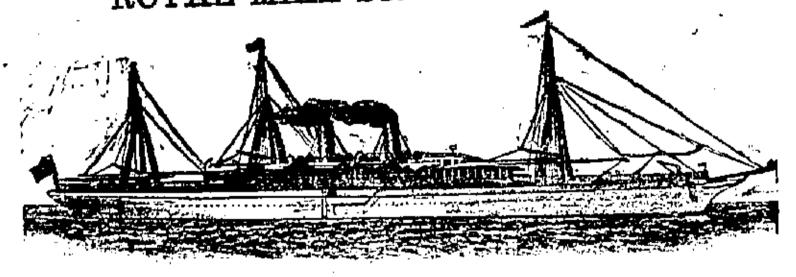
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BOMBAY MARU,	BOMBAY, VIA SINGAPORE COLOMBO.	and TUESDAY, 24th March, at Noon
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P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, March 18 1903.



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R. W. Almond .....

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Hongkong, March 16, 1903.

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MANAGER.

Hongkong, March 12, 1903.



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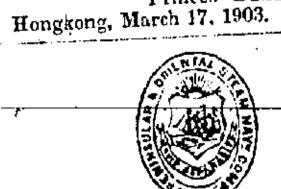
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